

**MINUTES OF THE
COMMERCE AND REVENUE
APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE**

Room 303, State Capitol Building

February 11, 2004

MEMBERS PRESENT: Sen. Carlene Walker, Co-Chairman
Rep. Chad E. Bennion, Co-Chairman
Sen. Ed Mayne
Sen. John Valentine
Rep. Eli Anderson
Rep. Craig Frank
Rep. Mike Morley
Rep. Ty McCartney
Rep. J. Morgan Philpot
Rep. Peggy Wallace

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Sen. Leonard Blackham

STAFF PRESENT: Stan Eckersley, Fiscal Analyst
Debbie Headden, Fiscal Analyst
Cindy Baker, Committee Secretary

Note: A list of visitors and copy of handouts are filed with committee minutes.

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Co-Chairman Bennion called the meeting to order at 2:13 p.m.

MOTION: Rep. Wallace moved to approve the minutes of February 11, 2004. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. McCartney, Rep. Morley, and Sen. Valentine absent for the vote.

MOTION: Sen. Walker moved to accept the Analyst's budget recommendations for Workforce Services with Intent Language. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Valentine, Rep. Morley, and Rep. McCartney absent for the vote.

Analyst Stan Eckersley presented the FY 2005 budget recommendations for Workers Comp. and Supplementals.

Available for response and questions:
Lane Summerhays, Exec. Director, WCCF
Ray Pickup, Financial Advisor, WCCF

Co-Chair Bennion opened the discussion to the public. The following spoke to the committee:

Ed Leary, Commissioner of Financial Institutions
Klare Bachman, Exec. Director of Commerce
Roger Ball, Utah Committee of Consumer Services
Tony Taggart, Director of Division of Securities
Neal Gooch, Deputy Commissioner of Insurance
John Nixon, Division of Workforce Services
Tomi Ossana, Exec. Director, HIP Utah

Analyst Stan Eckersley passed out a Ballot for a committee straw poll on priorities. He asked the committee to rate each item in order of importance, 10 being the highest rating, and turn them in by the end of Tuesday.

MOTION: Rep. Morley moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Valentine and Rep. Philpot absent for the vote.

Co-Chair Bennion adjourned the meeting at 3:34 p.m.

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